

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/159,695

Applicant(s)

BARRY ET AL.

Examiner

Ramsey Refai

Art Unit

2152

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Ramsey Refai.

(3) _____.

(2) Phouphanomketh Ditthavong (Reg. No. 44,658).

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 19 April 2006.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: all.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

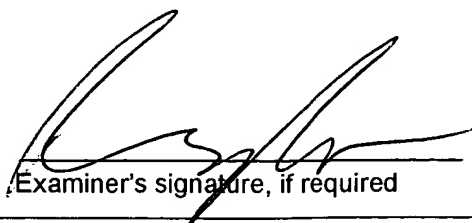
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.


Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr. Dittthavong called the examiner requesting an Examiner's Amendment to cancel claims 1-15, 50-55, 58-71, 104-109, and 112-113 based on the After Final Amendment filed 03/27/06, which was not entered. Claims 16 and 72, previously objected to for containing allowable subject matter, have now been written in independent form in the AF amendment. Examiner agreed to do the Examiner's Amendment as requested. Examiner will enter After Final. Since claims 112 and 113 have been canceled by the After Final, Examiner will cancel claims 1-15, 50-55, 58-71, and 104-109. Therefore, claims 16-43, 45-49, 56-57, 72-97, 99-103, 110-111 will be allowed .